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## CHAPTER V.

FOR a long time the silence remained unbroken except now and then when the girl bent over the silent figure to ask, "Can I do anything for you?" Each time she listened with added fear, hoping eagerly for his voice. "Oh, I wish we could do something," she whispered now and again to Louis.

The boy, worn out with his day's excitement, struggled manfully to keep awake, but as the night deepened slumber rose about him like a wreath of benumbing incense. His sense of what had taken place dulled, his head nodded and drooped, and at last Ann lowered him to the floor, where he slept, his cheek pillowed upon her feet.

Again the singularity of the chance, the absurd unreality of the situation, came upon the self-contained girl, inciting her to a sort of hysterical laughter. Here now she sat—Ann Rupert, most conventional of persons—in a rude ranch house, alone with a strange, rough man sleeping in a deathlike trance before her.

The minutes elongated like bands of rubber, attaining the length of quarter hours, and the night stretched away into horrifying distance as she sat tensely waiting, hoping each moment for deliverance, expecting each instant to hear the swift beating of hoofs, the hoarse laughter of the men; but only the wind serpents hissed and the wolf howled.

At last immobility became intolerable, and, lowering Louis' head to the floor, she gently placed his doubled coat beneath it and with a mighty effort of the will bent again above the pallid man, so tragic in his suppleness, and whispered:

"Are you still suffering? Can I do anything for you?"

He turned his head slowly and with a glance which made her shiver answered: "No, I have ceased to bleed. I am going to pull through if my pulse keeps down. Won't you talk to it?"

Timidly taking his brown wrist in her soft finger tips she tried to count the pulsing of his blood.

He waited a little time in silence, then said: "It's there, but it's weak. Don't you feel it?"

"Yes; it is more regular now," she answered.

"I'm not going to die," he continued in a hoarse, flat tone. "I could get up and mount a horse right now, only I'd bleed if I did. It's hard to keep quiet, but I'm going to do it. I can't afford to die now. You've roused me. There's something in the world for me to do."

"You must not talk," she whispered.

"Please—it will do you harm."

She put her hand impulsively on his forehead as if he were a child, and he closed his eyes and lay in silence for several minutes. When she withdrew her palm he muttered: "Leave it there. It is so cool and soft."

"Would you like a wet cloth on your head?"

"No—only your hand—if you don't mind."

Her feeling toward him at the moment was like that she manifested toward her brother. "I don't mind, if it helps you," she answered, but a flush rose to her face.

"The boys will come in soon, and then you can go to bed and rest. I'm sorry to trouble you. You can go now. I'm all right," he said.

"I shall not leave you," she firmly replied.

"You're mighty good," he said simply.

The night wore on interminably. At a little past 3, faint and far, arose the cheerful crowing of a cock. Her heart burned with joy—the morning was near! As she waited the light came and voices, faint and far away, touched her ear, and then slowly, moving in a disorderly squad, the weary fighters of flames came riding down the slope and across the meadow.

The herders did not ride up to the house, as she expected them to do, but turned aside toward the stables, and she could hear them as they dropped their saddles and turned their tired ponies loose. "Surely they will come now," then all was still save the crowing of the cocks and that sad howling of the wolf on the hill.

Unable to endure the suspense, she tiptoed across the floor and hurried out toward the corral, her heart in her throat with fear of the body on the floor. She ran as silently as possible, as if to avoid rousing some fierce animal, and was close upon the men before they saw her.

"What's that?" she heard one quick, keen voice cry out.

Then each man rose from the heap of blankets wherein he lay curled like an arctic dog.

Ann answered them breathlessly. "Come to the house, quick. Mr. Raymond is shot!"

Their responses were like bullets: "Shot! Who shot him?"

"Some one fired out of the darkness—he was standing in the doorway. I'm all alone. He must have help!"

"Where's Watson?"

"Gone for the doctor."

Shaking loose from his bed, Baker started on the run for the house, but Ann cried out sharply: "Wait! Go quietly. You must not excite him."

And, walking beside him, she returned to the house, and in a sort of daze the other herders silently followed. The jangle of Baker's big spurs, familiar and penetrating, called Raymond to a knowledge of his surroundings.

He turned his head and looked at the men in a way that made them shrink and asked: "How's the fire? Did you stop it?"

Baker replied, "Yes, we got her under."

Raymond half closed his eyes. "I'm glad you're here. This lady needs a rest. Somebody did for me. Baker, you and Jones and Skuttle stay here. Perry, you saddle a horse and get Abe and his wife. Miss Rupert, you go to bed; the boys will look after me now. I can't let you wear yourself out for me."

But Ann could not so easily be put aside from her plain duty. "No, I will stay till the doctor comes."

At last, when the wounded man was lying comfortably on a thick pile of blankets and the white light of the morning filled the cabin, Ann yielded to his entreaties, went to her room and threw herself down upon her bed with a sense of having put all her careful, careless girlhood behind her. It was as if she had suddenly been flung into a gray and bitter sea far from shore.

Louis, who had been roused by the return of the herders and who sat watching their slow and painfully cautious handling of the sufferer with the mute, unemotional gaze of a sleepy kitten, followed his sister into the inner room and stood in silence till his bewilderment left him and his perplexity crystallized into words. Then he said:

"Jupiter! I didn't know you could do such things. What do you think? Is he going to die?"

"I don't know, laddie. I hope not. I've done all I can."

Ann must have dropped asleep there after, for when she woke the horizontal rays of the flaming sun filled the room and the loud and hearty voice of a woman could be heard out in the kitchen. Her words came distinctly to Ann's ears. "Now, Rob, you've got me to deal with. I'll cuff your ears if you don't do as I say. You've got to eat to keep your strength up."

Ann rose hastily, but paused before the closed door with a new and singular timidity. The coming of another woman made her own position embarrassing. With a return of resolution she opened the door and met the big gray eyes of a tall, broad shouldered, slatternly woman, who stood over Raymond with a bowl of steaming broth in her hand. She was neither deaf nor dumb, but Ann perceived that she was capable and good tempered, a natural nurse, experienced in the ways of the border.

"Good morning," she called, and her infectious and many of her phrases were masculine. "You must 'a' had a right hard night of it. Friend of the Barnetts, Rob tells me."

Her familiarity and the essential commonness of her tone repelled Ann, who asked, with cool dignity, "Can I do anything?"

"Not a thing. I'm Mrs. Scribbins, Rob's highest neighbor. We come a-runnin' the moment we heard of this thing, for Rob's a mighty good man and neighbor."

Ann repeated and held out her hand. "I'm glad to see you, Mrs. Scribbins. I'm Miss Rupert, and this is my brother."

er." She turned to Louis, who had crept to her side, pale and silent.

Mrs. Scribbins shook hands, carefully guarding her broth. "I don't see how you kept Rob down. I've had to just about throttle him once or twice since I came. He's a headstrong cuss and hates being bossed or nussed."

"Has the doctor come?"

"Good Lord, no! But I've sent Abe up the road. That fool Watson is more'n likely to get lost and never get in. Even if he did he couldn't get a doctor here before noon, and that Wallace doctor ain't worth the powder to blow him up anyway. We need a bone doctor from Valley Springs. As soon as Don Barnett hears of this he'll come a-runnin' with the best there is in the Springs."

Raymond lay on his pile of blankets, his face expressionless as that of a dead man, but his eyes called to the girl, and she bent to ask, "Are you better?"

His lips moved a little. She bowed lower, and he whispered, "Yes—bring Don!"

"They have gone for him."

"They must hurry." Then he added, "Don't leave me."

With a conviction that he knew he was about to die, she spoke, and her tone was tense with a desire to help him. "I will not leave you. Do not worry."

He closed his eyes again and lay so still, so breathless, it seemed that he had entered upon the last coma, beyond the reach of any medicine.

Louis, awed quite out of his sprightly self, drew Ann aside and whispered, "How is he?"

"He is worse. Oh, I wish the doctor would come!"

"The boys say that big, speckled faced fellow did it. He had it in for Mr. Raymond. Do you know, Perry, the Mexican boy, took a horse and was going to chase them up, but the boys wouldn't let him. They've sent word to the railway, and they'll have Specie before night. Uncle Don said that these fellows were only hired men, but seems to me they're a good deal like the old time cowboys."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A TAX ON SHAME

## Sensational Developments Promised in Berthe Claiche's Case.

New York, March 8.—Berthe Claiche, the young French woman who pleaded guilty to the murder of Emil Gerdron, her alleged master, was taken from the Tombs prison to the district attorney's office. She had a talk there with Assistant District Attorney Ely. Although no official statement was made public, it was reported that the young woman gave Mr. Ely the names of four policemen to whom she said she paid \$2 a week for protection while leading the life of a woman of the streets. She also gave the names of about fifty other policemen, the report stated, who were receiving like amounts from other women in the district where she lived.

A conference took place between Police Commissioner Bingham and Berthe Claiche's counsel, Abraham Levy and Otto Rosalsky. Commissioner Bingham refused to state what was said at this meeting.

## IN BEAUTIFUL ARLINGTON

General Schofield's Mortal Remains Given Impressive Interment.

Washington, March 8.—Citizens and soldiers paid reverent tribute to the memory of the late Lieutenant General John M. Schofield, U. S. A., retired, at St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, yesterday afternoon. The interment was in the national cemetery at Arlington in a beautiful spot on the eastern slope selected by General Schofield more than fifteen years ago as he stood there one afternoon with a member of his family. Near by lies the body of General Phil Sheridan and to the westward rises the Temple of Fame.

Practically all the troops that are on duty in Washington and at the posts near by formed the funeral escort and made an imposing pageant as they moved out Pennsylvania avenue and across the Potomac river to Arlington.

## MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Price for Grain and Live-stock at Leading Markets.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, 82c; No. 2 red, 82½c. Corn—No. 2, 42½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 31c. Hay—Clover, \$7.00@8.00; timothy, \$9.10; millet, \$7.00@8.00. Cattle—\$2.50@5.75. Hogs—\$4.25@4.40. Sheep—\$3.50@4.75. Lambs—\$4.50@7.25. Receipts—7,500 hogs; 1,500 cattle; 50 sheep. About 400 head of horses arrived for the closing auction sale. There was a better attendance of buyers than for the initial sale, but prices were about the same, the market being regarded lower than last week.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 87c. Corn—No. 2, 43½c. Oats—No. 2, 32½c. Cattle—\$2.00@5.40. Hogs—\$4.50@6.35. Sheep—\$3.00@5.50. Lambs—\$5.25@7.50.

Grain and Livestock at Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 82c. Corn—No. 2, 40c. Oats—No. 2, 30¾c. Cattle—\$1.60@6.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.75. Hogs—\$5.00@6.42½. Sheep—\$4.00@6.25. Lambs—\$5.25@7.15.

At New York.

Cattle—\$3.80@5.80. Hogs—\$4.50@6.90. Sheep—\$3.50@5.50. Lambs—\$5.50@7.80.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.75@5.75. Hogs—\$4.40@

## ROUVIER GOES OUT

Defeat of French Ministry Comes at Critical Juncture.

## BOLT FROM CLEAR SKY

Even Such a Manifestation Could Not Have Been More Surprising Than Government's Downfall.

Lack of Confidence in Rouvier's Clerical Attitude Accomplishes His Overwhelming Defeat.

Paris, March 8.—Like a bolt from a clear sky the Rouvier ministry was defeated in the chamber of deputies last night and immediately resigned. The cabinet crisis comes at a most dramatic moment, when the Franco-German contest has reached a decisive stage and may exert an important influence on the Algeiras conference and on European affairs.

The defeat of the government came on a comparatively minor debate over the church disorders. The government succeeded in holding only 234 votes, while the various elements in opposition, clericals, socialists and nationalists, united and polled 267 votes, thus placing the ministry in the minority of 33.

Premier Rouvier, with all his colleagues, proceeded to the foreign office where a joint letter of resignation was prepared. Later M. Rouvier presented this letter to President Fallieres, who accepted the resignations. The president announced his intention of consulting the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies today relative to the formation of a new cabinet.

The debate in the chamber of deputies was upon the bloody riot Tuesday during the taking of an inventory of a church in the village of Boeschepe, resulting in the death of a manifestant. Various orators severely criticised the government's course, asserting that it threatened to precipitate a religious warfare.

Premier Rouvier responded: "The government has the duty to apply the law. It will apply it without weakness, but also with the prudence, tact and wisdom consistent with public tranquility. I ask the adoption of a resolution approving these declarations of the government."

The resolution was thereupon put to a vote and defeated. The result was due to a combination of opposition influences. The vote is more expressive of personal antagonism to the ministry than of opposition to church inventories.

The cabinet of M. Rouvier was formed Nov. 12, 1905, when M. Loubet was president of the republic. When M. Fallieres was inaugurated last month the cabinet formally tendered its resignation, but at the request of the new president it remained in office.

## A Critical Period.

Algeiras, March 8.—The result of today's sitting of the conference on Moroccan reforms is awaited with the most intense interest. Reports relative to the probability of an agreement are circulated on all sides.

## Dynamite Victim's Body Found.

Parkersburg, W. Va., March 8.—When a quantity of nitroglycerine exploded near Williamson, this county, two weeks ago, H. D. Kerr was driving the wagon in which it was being carried. All that could be found immediately after the explosion were a few pieces of flesh and these were shipped to Ohio for burial. Yesterday his lacerated body was found in a tree 700 feet from the scene of the explosion.

## Bench Warrant Issued.

Boise, Idaho, March 8.—In the district court at Caldwell the grand jury returned indictments against all the men held on the charge of murdering Frank Steunenberg, with the possible exception of Steve Adams. Bench warrants were ordered issued. No information was given out respecting the indictments, and there will be no official announcement until the defendants shall have been arraigned.

## Suspects Not Yet Arraigned.

Boise, Idaho, March 8.—The six men under arrest here charged with the assassination of former Governor Frank Steunenberg have not been taken to Caldwell for arraignment. The authorities here who are directing the prosecution decline to state when this will be done, and the greatest secrecy is maintained.

## Still Unable to Cap Gusher.

Caney, Kan., March 8.—The big gas well six miles from Caney continues to burn with great fury. The preliminary work for the supreme effort to cap the well with a 3,000-pound iron hood made for the purpose is being pushed with all haste. Hundreds of sightseers still continue to flock to the scene.

## To Curb Vandalism.

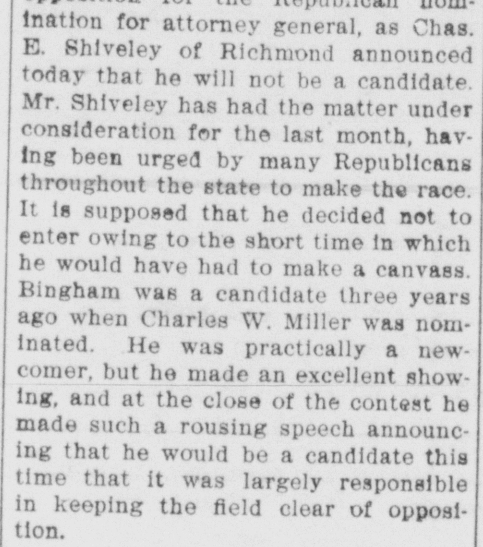
Washington, March 8.—The house committee on public lands has agreed to make a favorable report on a bill to protect historical landmarks. It is designed especially to preserve the cliff dwellings in New Mexico and Arizona.

## POLITICAL GOSSIP

James Bingham Has an Apparent Walkaway in His Particular Field.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 8.—James Bingham of Muncie will have no opposition for the Republican nomination for attorney general, as Chas. E. Shiveley of Richmond announced today that he will not be a candidate. Mr. Shiveley has had the matter under consideration for the last month, having been urged by many Republicans throughout the state to make the race. It is supposed that he decided not to enter owing to the short time in which he would have had to make a canvass. Bingham was a candidate three years ago when Charles W. Miller was nominated. He was practically a new-comer, but he made an excellent showing, and at the close of the contest he made such a rousing speech announcing that he would be a candidate this time that it was largely responsible in keeping the field clear of opposition.

Congressman James E. Watson of Rushville, "whip of the house," who was here yesterday afternoon, said that congress will probably adjourn for the summer about May 15. That



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date, he continued, was practically agreed on several weeks ago and an effort will be made to get all the work out of the way by that time. Mr. Watson will leave for Washington Friday afternoon.

A meeting of the state Republican committee has been called to dispose of the trouble in the Eighth district over the rules for the nomination of a Republican candidate for congress. Horace Stillwell of Anderson, one of the candidates, is still here waiting for an opportunity to appear before the members of the committee. Opinion seems divided among the party leaders as to the propriety of the state committee interfering with a district organization. There is no precedent in Indiana for such action, but the Cromer men have presented precedents from Kentucky and other states where the state committees have supreme authority. Cromer is making a speaking tour of the district protesting against the rules. Stillwell expects to go before the people, but not until after the state committee has indicated what it intends to do.

A call has been issued for a meeting of the Republican state committee next Monday to settle the trouble over the Eighth district congressional race. Stillwell said he has engaged Attorney M. A. Cripman of Anderson, Walter Ball of Muncie, and Frank Snyder of Portland to represent him. He says they have informed him that the state committee has no right to interfere but he is ready to assure the state committee that if it will leave the situation to the district committee the trouble will be adjusted to the satisfaction of Republicans there. If the committee interferes he will claim his rights under the present rules and try to mandate counties to place his name on the ticket next November where it is necessary.

It is rumored here that a prominent candidate for a place on the Republican state ticket will withdraw from the field within a very short time. His name, however, is withheld, as he may change his mind. It may be stated that if he withdraws he will create one of the big surprises of the ante-convention campaign. Ward Watson of Charlestown, one of the candidates for the nomination for appellate court judge, was here today and was very busy. Oscar Hadley, a hot-foot in the race for state treasurer, left here today for a tour of the Tenth district.

A remarkable feature of the Sherick trial was the statement of Louis Held, one of the jurors, that he had never heard of the case. He is a retired butcher and has been in Indianapolis throughout the long controversy over Sherrick's troubles. That one man could be found in Indianapolis who had not heard of the case was not dreamed of by any of the attorneys. Yet Held said that he not only had not read of the case, but that he had not even heard of it or discussed it. He was accepted right off by both sides.

Miners Go on Strike.

Bleknell, Ind., March 8.—The miners of the Big Muddy mine are on strike. The machine men have been working by the day and the company wished to change the system of paying them. The contract between the miners and operators provides for the payment of machine men by the ton, but the machine men here say that if they were put on the ton basis they would be unable to make a living wage on account of conditions peculiar to this particular coal. Many of the men are Italians.

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## NEED OF REFORM

Corrupt Practices in Elections to Be Given Special Attention.

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Meeting Under the Auspices of the National Civic Federation Promises to Do Things.

Reforms Are Projected That Will Go Far Toward Clearing Political Atmosphere.

New York, March 8.—The national conference for the reform of the primary and election laws, held here under the auspices of the National Civic Federation, has concluded its sessions. It is expected that the work for ballot reform begun by the conference will be carried forward by a department of the National Civic Federation charged with this duty and created through a resolution adopted by the conference. The resolution creating a permanent department of the National Civic Federation to take jurisdiction of the subjects which the conference was called to consider was introduced by Josiah Quincy of Boston. All the members of the conference are to become members of the new department. Another meeting of the conference, it is provided, shall be called at such future time as may be expedient. Another resolution introduced by Mr. Quincy and also adopted reads:

"Resolved, That experience shows that existing provisions of criminal law against the purchase of votes are inadequate; that to correct corrupt practices, legislation should include (1) the publication of all contributions and expenditures; (2) the prohibition of political contributions by corporations; (3) the definition and limitation of permissible political expenditures; (4) provisions for judicial inquiry into election expenditures and existence of corrupt practices, in which proceeding any citizen may participate; (5) the punishment of corrupt practices by further penalties, such as disfranchisement or disqualification for office, in addition to fine or imprisonment."

The conference declined to adopt a resolution declaring for direct nominations through the primary system, referring the matter by a vote of 16 to 11 to the department of the Civic Federation. During the progress of the meeting Congressman William S. Bennett of this city told the conference that when he wanted the congressional nomination it depended on the action of one man, although he represented the suffrage of 290,000 people. Mark F. Sullivan of this city said that in recent elections in a county of southwestern Pennsylvania he saw \$15,000 handed out on election day among 600 voters.

"Sixty to seventy per cent of the votes were purchased," he continued. "The farmers regarded it as a part of their annual income." Mr. Sullivan said that his experience in elections in Louisville, Ky., had proved to him that the city was helplessly corrupt.

## Trouble With Foreign Miners.

Tonopah, Nev., March 8.—Sheriff Logan has just returned from Berlin, Nev., where there has been trouble with the miners, all of whom are foreigners. The company has been hiring Basques to replace Portuguese, who threatened the newcomers. The Portuguese are armed. The foreman was badly beaten and the superintendent fled. The local justice of the peace wired for the sheriff and deputies, who arrived in time to avert a race war. Twenty-seven men were arrested and tried before the justice and fined. Those who could not pay were driven from the camp and the rest held in custody.

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Six Months.....2.50  
Three Months.....1.25  
One Month......45  
One Week......10

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One Year In Advance.....\$1.00

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1906

## REPUBLICANS

Will Elect Delegates to State Convention, March 17.

Pursuant to an order of the Republican State Committee the Republicans of Jackson county will meet in their respective townships at the places designated below on SATURDAY, MARCH 17, at 1:30 P. M. for the purpose of electing delegates and alternates to the state convention which will meet in the city of Indianapolis on Wednesday and Thursday, April 11 and 12, 1906.

On the basis of one delegate for every 200 votes and for each additional fraction of more than 100 votes cast for Geo. A. Cunningham for presidential elector at the November election in 1904, Jackson county is entitled to 14 delegates and 14 alternates, apportioned to the townships as follows:

Brownstown, 1 delegate 1 alternate.  
Place of meeting, Brownstown.

Carr, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Medora.

Driftwood, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Vallochia.

Grassyfork, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Tamco.

Hamilton, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Cortland.

Jackson and Washington, 5 delegates, 5 alternates. Place of meeting, Seymour.

Owen, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Clearspring.

Redding, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Rockford.

Salicreek, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Freetown.

Vernon, 1 delegate, 1 alternate. Place of meeting, Crothersville.

By order of  
C. T. BENTON, Co. Chm.  
T. V. PREWITT, Secy.

NOBLE HAYS, of Scottsburg, wants the democrats of Jackson county to know that he is still a candidate for prosecutor even if he was defeated in his own county by 103 votes. His candidacy is not helping Sam Wells in the least.

INDIANA is a great state for home-makers. There are 547,057 tax-payers in the state, and 371,067 families living in their own homes, according to figures recently compiled by State Statistician Joseph H. Stubbs. Of this large number of homes 196,940 unincumbered by debt. There are 185,996 families living in rented houses.

It is said that the management of the Bluffton baseball team is making an effort to have Governor Hanly go to Bluffton in May to witness the first baseball game of the season. Last season the Bluffton team only played ball week days and Sunday put on the lid. At the end of the season the governor wrote a letter to the manager of the team, praising him for not playing on Sundays. The stockholders of the Bluffton association made 150 per cent on their investment.

THE REPUBLICAN yesterday called attention to the proposed improvement of the road leading past Riverview cemetery and said that it seemed few people, comparatively, understood it fully. Since then we have had an opportunity to look into the matter further and find much to commend in the proposition. The road leading to the cemetery should be made first class and we believe that the people generally think so. Whether all the ideas of the original promoters of this improvement are adopted remains with the engineer and viewers who are yet to report as we understand.

## Gresham's Mother.

Mrs. Sarah Rumley, mother of the late Gen. Walter G. Gresham, secretary of state during President Cleveland's administration, died Monday at her home in Lanesville, Harrison county. Mrs. Rumley had been a resident of Lanesville for many years and lived with her daughter, Miss Belle Gresham.

## Sherrick on Trial.

The trial of Ex-Auditor Sherrick has begun and is proving a fierce legal conflict. Both the prosecution and defense are contesting every possible point they can raise. The people of the state are watching the progress of the trial with keen interest. What the outcome will be no one can tell at this time and public opinion is divided.

Miss Alice Love, of the REPUBLICAN office force, was off duty today on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay C. Smith returned last evening from a visit with relatives at Brazil. Mr. Smith made a business trip to St. Louis while away.

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# 10 DAYS ADVANCE SALE

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# Carpets, Matting, Lace Curtains and Portiers.

### Sale Begins Wednesday, March 7.

## Carpets.

One roll Granite Carpet, oak and green figure, 25c grade  
Last years pattern  
Advance sale price per yard ..... **18c**

Choice patterns, best grade Granite Carpets, first carpet off the roll.  
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One roll carpet, both chain and filling wool, last years pattern. Nice green and red figure  
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A better grade of all wool Ingrain Carpet. First end slightly soiled in shipping and displaying.  
Will sell the first carpet from the roll per yd **55c**

A good selection of new patterns of our extra heavy, all wool Ingrain Carpets, full standard goods.  
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The well known and old reliable all wool Lowell Carpets  
A new line to select from.  
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## Rugs! Rugs!

Small and large best grade Tapestry Rugs, 1½ yards long with fringe..... **1.25**  
Moquette Rugs 27x60 inch  
Each..... **1.88**

Moquette Rugs 36x72 inches  
Each..... **2.98**  
9x12 feet Tapestry Room Rugs  
Each..... **13.50**

9x12 feet Axminster Room Rugs  
Each..... **19.50**  
9x12 feet Body Room Rugs  
Each..... **23.50**

These are last years patterns at these special prices.  
Come in and see our new line of 9x12 Rugs and get our special low prices for this advance sale.

## Straw Matting.

Over fifty rolls of Straw Matting have arrived for this spring for your inspection. Get our reduced prices for this sale.

Remnants of Straw Matting from last years accumulation to be sold at and below cost. Regular 15c, 20c and 25c Matting in small ends as 11 yards, 7½, 9½, 7½, 13½, 12½, 11½, 18½, 10½, 13½, 3½, 17½, 14½, 4½, 21, 14, 14½, 14, 10½, 5½, 18½, 10½, 8½, 18, 18½, 9½, 5½ and 19½ yards.

## Lace Curtains.

Odd pairs of Lace Curtains left over from last year, sample pair slightly soiled.

2 pair \$1.00 Lace Curtains  
Sale price per pair ..... **78c**

4 pair \$1.50 Lace Curtains  
1 and 3 pr each a pair..... **97c**

7½ pair \$2.00 Lace Curtains  
2 2 and 3½ pr each a pair..... **1.48**

13 pair \$2.50 Lace Curtains  
3,4 and 6 pr each a pair..... **1.98**

6 pair \$3.00 Lace Curtains  
6 pr each a pair..... **2.48**

6 pair \$3.50 Lace Curtains  
6 pr each a pair..... **2.90**

10 pair \$5.00 Lace Curtains  
2 2-2-2 and 2 pr each a pair..... **3.49**

Advance sale price on all our new Lace Curtains, Rope and Damask Portiers.

This Advance Sale is for ten days only and if you need any of the goods advertised come in and let us help you save money.

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## Circuit Court.

The following circuit court have been disposed of:

State vs Thornt Hunsucker, giving liquor to minor. Plea of guilty and defendant fined \$20 and cost.

State vs Charles Davis, giving liquor to minor; plea of guilty and defendant \$20 and cost.

James Starr vs Kirby Bright, notes and foreclosure of mortgage. Judgment against defendant for \$207.91.

Fred S. Williams vs Manufacturers Mutual Fire Insurance Co. on policy, finding for defendant. This case was tried at the last term of court by Special Judge Frank Bransman and taken under advisement.

Duggins Wire Fence Co. vs. Jesse Hill, on note, demand \$125; judgment against defendant for \$92.86.

W. R. Bolles vs Jas. F. Curry, on judgment, finding for plaintiff in sum of \$195.99.

## NEW CASES

Holmes Robertson, administrator of the estate of Susan Robertson, vs Bruce Reed; on note.

John M. Cabell, et al, vs Susan McKinney; note and foreclosure of mortgage and replevin.

Samuel Wilds vs James Armstrong, et al; to quiet title.

State vs Ed Lahrman, freeing prisoner. On the 7th day of February Marshal Frank Browning attempted to arrest Bruce Hurlay for being drunk upon the street. He found Hurlay in Lahrman's saloon but when he attempted to arrest him, it is charged that Lahrman interfered and prevented him from doing so.

Carl Miller, guardian of Jesse Keller, et al, vs James Keller, et al; partition of real estate.

Lowry Fish, executor of last will of Joseph Ryan, vs Mary J. Ryan, et al; partition of real estate.

State vs Geo. Harris, assault and battery upon Andrew Richardson, with intent to kill.

## Will Meet Here.

Fred Whitcomb is home from North Vernon where he attended a district meeting of independent telephone men. He reports a very pleasant and profitable meeting. Through his efforts the next meeting in this district will be held in Seymour in July.

FOR RENT—New house, four rooms and pantry.

CLARK DAVIS.

Mrs. Robert Sprawl and Mrs. Jasper Wyman, of Bedford, spent today here with Mrs. Emma J. Davis.

Come in and see the new line of Carpets, Matting and Lace Curtains that L. F. Miller & Co., are displaying for their 10 days Advance Sale.

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## Priscilla Club.

The ladies of the Priscilla Club of West Second street celebrated the anniversary of the club Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Wilhite by entertaining their husbands. The house was beautifully decorated in the club colors, pink and green, the colors being carried out in the favors and refreshments. Games and guessing contests were the principal amusements. Everyone enjoyed the occasion very much, realizing "Life is what we make it," and while we may grow old in years, in heart never. The guests departed at a late hour wishing the Priscilla Club long life, and many more such pleasant occasions.

## Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Breitfield were given a most pleasant surprise last evening at their home on south Chestnut street when the members of the Maennerchor of the Lutheran church gathered at that place to help them celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary. About thirty families were present and the occasion proved very pleasant to all. Supper was served and much enjoyment. Mr. and Mrs. Breitfield were the recipients of some very fine presents in chinaware and other articles. The occasion as a whole was most delightful and was one which will be remembered as one of the most pleasant gatherings of the Maennerchor.

Eczema, Tetters, Salt Rheum, Itch, Ring Worm, Herpes, Barbers' Itch.

All of these diseases are attended by intense itching, which is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve, and by its continued use a permanent cure may be effected. It has, in fact, cured many cases that had resisted other treatment. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

## New Books.

Books added to Seymour Public Library.

The Woman with the Fan—Robert Hickens.

The Old Monday Farm—Louise R. Baker.

The Long Day—The Story of a Working Girl as told by herself.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. A. B. Conrad this afternoon. It was the annual meeting for the election of officers.

The case of Applegate vs. Applegate was set for trial in circuit court today and a great many witnesses went over from Crothersville.

Three little rules we all should keep. To make life happy and bright, Smile in the morning, smile at noon, Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

## NEW PHASE OF IT

Rate Bill Takes an Additional Point of Interest.

Washington, March 8.—The issues involved in the controversy over the pending railroad rate bill were squarely presented to the senate in the speech of Senator Clapp, one of the Republicans supporting the measure without amendment, and by resultant remarks from Senators Bailey and Tillman, who are supposed to represent the views of the Democrats. The discussion of these speeches later by senators on both sides of the chamber developed a new phase of the situation. Senators Aldrich, Foraker, Crane and other Republicans who are seeking to amend this bill so as to provide for judicial review of orders of the interstate commerce commission, took the position that the discussion of the subject demonstrated that the friends of the measure are divided and that the bill should not be accepted in its present form. They said they were encouraged in the position they had taken from the first and declared that when the bill is brought to a vote they will have supporters enough to adopt a court review feature.

After the termination of the debate both Senators Bailey and Tillman announced their decisions to hold out for an amendment intended not to interfere with the operation of the rate-making powers which the bill purports to confer on the commission, but which would save to railroads all the rights to their day in court, which they possess under existing statutes. It is known that Senator Bailey has prepared an amendment which will be offered by some member of the committee on interstate commerce. This is taken to mean that he will submit his ideas to some of his party colleagues who are members of the committee, and that some one of them will offer it in an effort to have it made a committee amendment.

Friends of the court review feature have again determined to await the decision of the Democrats before offering an amendment themselves. These Republicans, including all of the members of the interstate commerce committee who voted against reporting the Heyburn bill, declare that the position has been entirely consistent in that they do not care anything for the phraseology so long as their purpose is accomplished.

Opponents of the court review feature have not prepared an amendment which has not yet been submitted and possibly may never be. It provides for a limited review, and its supporters declare it represents the extreme limits of any concessions the president would make to the faction seeking to amend the bill.

With six set speeches and the permission to print two others in the Record without delivery, no two of which were of the same subject, the house yesterday closed general debate on the Indian appropriation bill, and today took that measure up for amendment.

Trial Now in Progress.  
Chicago, March 8.—The jury which is to try Richard Ivens for the murder of Mrs. Bessie Hollister, was completed late yesterday. The first evidence was heard this morning.

## Illinois Operators Stand Pat.

Chicago, March 8.—No concessions will be made by the Illinois Coal Operators' association to the United Mine Workers' union, which is seeking an increase in pay for its members. This was decided upon at an executive meeting of the operators, who adopted resolutions declaring their willingness to face the threatened strike April 1, rather than grant the demands of the miners.

## Jury Has the Green Case.

Washington, March 8.—The trial of George E. Green on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government is nearing its conclusion. Major Holmes Conrad, special counsel for the government, the last of counsel to address the jury, concluded his argument this morning, and the court instructed the jury and placed the case in their hands.

## Search for Oil King Suspended.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 8.—Attorney General Hadley declares that he has not relinquished hope of having John D. Rockefeller subpoenaed to give testimony in the ouster case against the Standard Oil company, but that he had simply stopped efforts in that direction on the promise of A. D. Eddy, the attorney for the oil company, that the necessary evidence would be forthcoming from other sources.

## Minstrels.

What promises to be a very fine attraction is the Sun Minstrels which appear at the opera house, Tuesday, March 13.

## ROSS' SHOE BULLETIN!

## WORK SHOES.

People who have worn our working shoes tell us they are all right in every respect. We aim to keep the best, we guarantee them to be the best, and when the men who have tried them tell us they are the best, no further evidence is necessary, there is nothing more to say. If you have not tried them it might be well to do so.

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These are two good reasons why you should buy your coal of Ebner. Another reason, and the best, is that we sell nothing but the very best grades at the lowest market prices.

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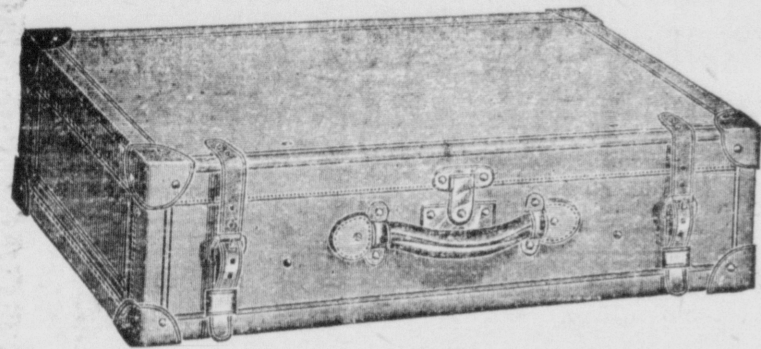
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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 8, 1909.  
Generally fair tonight and Friday.

See J. C. Hill for coal. dtf

Sweet peas, nasturtiums at the Rack-et. m10d&w1

Garden seeds in bulk and package at the Bee Hive. m9d

Dr. Geo. Knapp will make his next regular visit to Seymour on Friday, the thirtieth of March. wk&th m29

Look for L. F. Miller & Co's, space advertisement on Carpets, Lace, Curtains and Matting.

It will not cost you a cent to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and they are excellent for stomach troubles and constipation. Get a free sample at C. W. Milhous' drug store.

For Sweetpeas, Nasturtium and Evergreen Lawn Grass Seed, Crimson and Baby Rambler Roses, Green Carnations, the real thing for St. Patrick's day, phone The Greenhouse. tf

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WANT ADVERTISING

Probably the most desirable furnished room advertised one day will have a tenant at the same hour the next day—and, if you live in a "home-within-a-home," it might as well be you.

FOR SALE.—Good milk cow, will be fresh last of this month. John Maunel, West Eight St. m10d

FOR SALE.—Full stock Berkshire pigs, three male and four female, weighing about 100 pounds each. Write H. C. Beyer, Seymour, Ind. m8-15-23d&22w

WANTED.—Salesman to carry up to date line of pants as a side line, sold from swatches carried in telescope, weighing in all 40 pounds. Our specialty corduroy pants. Liberal commission to a hustler. Brandels & Lieberman, 26 N. Third St., Phila., Pa. m10d

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Benj. Butler, assistant ticket agent for the Panhandle, returned this morning from a visit at Clifford.

Bushrod Taylor has posted a notice along the Pennsylvania line announcing that there are to be vacancies in the positions of branch conductors and branch brakemen on 16 of March.

The Pennsylvania Co. has issued a report showing the expenses for passenger, per mile for transportation, last year, which shows it was 1986 cents less than 2 cents a mile and yet some people contend that the railroads cannot carry passengers at 2 cents a mile.

J. M. Hamer, Dealer in

Coal, Lime, Cement, Plaster, Sewer Pipe and Concrete Stone. The best Indiana No. 1 Lump Coal, well forked, \$3.00 per ton. Office at Southern Indiana coal yards. Phone 107. m20d

Saturday Special.

In fire proof ware, two, four and six quart preserving kettle and a four quart baking pan at 10 cents each. Saturday only, while they last. See window display. THE BEE HIVE. m9d

Attention Rebekahs.

Work in the Rebekah Degree tonight. A full attendance of staff desired.

MAGGIE HEUSER, N. G.  
EMMA HUSTEDT, Secy.

Home Sold.

E. C. Bollinger as agent has sold the Woodmansee home on W. St. Louis Avenue to Geo. Bartlett for \$1350.

Marshmallows 10 cents a pound at the Rack-et. m10d&w1

Advance sale on Carpets, Matting and Lace Curtains for 10 days at L. F. MILLER & Co.

PERSONAL.

Sam Jackson is reported some better.

John Pferrer, of Ewing, was in town today.

Peter Senseback was at Brownstown today.

Barney Fosnaugh is reported in very poor health.

Nathan Kaufman spent the day at Cincinnati on business.

J. H. Shea went to Madison this morning on a business trip.

K. A. Kelley and wife, of Scottsburg, went to Brownstown today.

Mrs. Rosa Weddell went to Crothersville this morning to visit relatives.

W. T. Brauman made a trip to Columbus today on legal business.

Hugo Kerkhof went to Indianapolis last evening to spend several days.

Fred Clark is here from Illinois spending a few days among old friends.

Mrs. Ida Miller and daughter, Miss Josephine, went to Indianapolis today.

Frank Woodmansee, of Indianapolis, is here on business and visiting friends.

O. V. Nay, auditor of Johnson Co., is here today attending the K. of P. meeting.

Attorney S. A. Barnes went to Brownstown this morning on legal business.

Shannon Gray has been doing some campaigning here, being a candidate for auditor.

W. H. Cunningham, of Crothersville, was in the city this morning and went west on No. 7.

Ernest Peters and son went to Crothersville this morning to see his father, who is sick.

W. M. Nauer, of Vernon, district deputy, K. of P., is in the city attending the K. of P. meeting.

S. A. Barnes, who has been quite sick for several days, was able to get down to his office today.

Miss Alice Blumer returned last night from Indianapolis, where she had made an extended visit.

H. E. Hennis, Joe Friez and W. R. Westfall, of Vincennes, were in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kamman spent the day at Columbus in the family of his brother, Dr. H. H. Kamman.

Willard Shannon has moved from Redding township to Seymour and occupies a house on east Fourth St.

Fred Drago, of Columbus, an optician, was in the city today. He has concluded to locate in this city.

B. H. Lett, Benj. Jones and W. T. Cutshaw came up from Crothersville today to attend the K. of P. meeting.

Mrs. Myrtle McKamman and children left this morning for Carlock, Illinois, where she will make her future home.

S. S. Gooden, of Franklin, was here today to visit his uncle, Abe Thieksten, and attend the K. of P. meeting.

Mrs. C. T. Benton, of Brownstown, came up this morning to visit in the family of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Johnson.

Mrs. Belle Halliburton returned yesterday to her home at Cincinnati after visiting here with her aunt, Mrs. Lon Prewitt.

Dr. A. May, J. L. Beldon, J. A. Cox and Jas. Campbell, of Crothersville, were here today on their way to Brownstown.

Mrs. C. S. Woods, of Loggotee, spent a short time with relatives in the city this morning on her way home from Indianapolis.

Mrs. S. Laugel returned last evening from Jeffersonville, where she was called by the sickness and death of her brother, Jacob Seider.

Mrs. M. Nassoy went to Indianapolis yesterday afternoon to visit her daughter, Mrs. Harry Beckman, and her son, N. M. Nassoy.

Mrs. Frank Hoffman, of Columbus, was in the city this morning on her way to Brownstown to see her father, F. M. Newcomb, who is quite sick.

Mrs. Leslie Vaught returned last evening to her home at Franklin after spending some time here with her aunt, Mrs. Sam Crowe and other relatives.

Mrs. Albert Maschino and children went to Indianapolis this morning where her husband is employed and they will make that place their future residence.

Traction Talk

The county commissioners on Wednesday gave the Columbus & Seymour Traction Company the right to pass through the poor farm grounds. This right was asked by R. O. Boyer, right of way agent on the west side of White river, for the Indianapolis Columbus & Southern Traction Company.

The right of way on the west side of the river is now practically all secured between this city and Seymour—Columbus Republican.

Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

PYTHIANS.

Good Attendance at the District Meeting.

Seymour extends a hearty welcome to the Knights of Pythias who are here to attend the district meeting. A goodly number of them are here and they are a fine lot of fellows. Many more are expected on the evening trains for the night meeting at which time the hall will surely be packed.

The grand lodge officers including the Grand Chancellor, F. S. Dutton, of La Grange, Grand Vice Chancellor, Jonee Monahan, of Orleans, and the acting Grand Instructor, Geo. W. Powell, of Indianapolis, came in this afternoon from New Albany where they were yesterday.

The open meeting at Castle Hall this afternoon was presided over by W. P. Masters and the program was as follows:

Invocation.....Rev. Harley Jackson  
Overture.....K. of P. Orchestra  
Welcome Address.....Mayor G. G. Graessle.

Response.....Jonee Monahan  
Piano Solo.....Mrs. Cora Leininger  
Crayon Talk.....Earl M. Cox  
Address.....F. S. Dutton, G. C. Music, Rathbone Quartette, Mrs. W. G. Reynolds, Mrs. W. B. Russell, Miss Rosa Himler and Mrs. Belle Gates.

Overture.....K. of P. Orchestra  
There was a secret session beginning at 4 o'clock. The session tonight will begin at 7 o'clock and will be full of interest to every Knight. The acting Grand Instructor Geo. W. Powell, will give an exemplification of secret work at this meeting. The competitive exercises will be a feature of this session.

Commissioners Court.

The board of County Commissioners met Monday Mch. 5. Retail liquor licenses were granted to Phil Meeb and Fred Diener, of Seymour, Alex Greger and Frank Falk, of Brownstown and Herman Vogel, of Crothersville.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. Lutes, et al, for relocating a public highway in Salt Creek township, Cyrus Mann, Wm. Forney and Rome Ratcliff were appointed viewers.

In the matter of the petition of J. C. Wells, et al, for a gravel road in Brownstown township, Jas. Nelson and David McGill were appointed viewers, and Jas. A. Wayman engineer.

A franchise was granted the Louisville & Indianapolis Traction Co. to construct and operate a railway through Jackson county from Scott to Bartholomew county, also from the Jennings county line to the town of Brownstown.

Sale Blocked.

President Cassatt, of the Pennsylvania system, has temporarily blocked the sale of the Walsh properties. It was the intention to close the sale, today, terms having been agreed upon, but Cassatt says the Pennsylvania representatives at Chicago did not have authority to close the deal. It is understood that representatives of the Pennsylvania, Rock Island, New York Central and Illinois Central had formed some sort of a pool and together control the Southern Indiana properties. Although the deal has been held up temporarily it will probably go through as arranged within a few days.

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Resolutions.

Whereas the Death Angel has visited our camp and taken from us one of our most honored and beloved neighbors, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That in the death of Neighbor Wm. R. Ewing, Seymour Camp No. 3261, Modern Woodmen of America, has lost a useful member, the city one of its best citizens, the family its most trusted friend, protector and father.

Neighbor Ewing was an excellent man, a courteous gentleman, clean in his life, refined in all his habits, law abiding and useful citizen. We deeply deplore his death, and extend to his wife and children our sympathy in this sad time of bereavement.

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be published in each of the three newspapers of our city and a copy be sent to the sorrowing family of our deceased neighbor, and a copy be spread upon the minute book of the Camp.

LOUIS E. JENNINGS.  
CLAUDE CARTER.  
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"The Hoosier Girl."

Conventionally in play-building thrown to the winds, away from the beaten path; no wronged heroine, no mortgaged farm, no snow storm, no threshing machine, no husking bee, but an absolutely new, original and up-to-date theme; sturdy characters that are a delight to behold, so true in every tone and gesture that the total effect is a continuous performance of jollity. "The Hoosier Girl" at the opera house tomorrow night.

Marriage Licenses.

Reuben Lacy, of Freetown and Mary E. Collier, of Surprise.

Arthur B. Foster and Lula King, of Vernon township.

Geo. A. Taylor and Florence Rinebold, both of Brownstown.

Davis B. Jenkins, of Indianapolis, and Nellie E. Cox, of Brownstown.

John T. Robbins and Lerina Bunton both of Seymour.

Sunday School Evangelist.

Under the auspices of the State and Jackson county Sunday School Associations, a special tour is being arranged for Jackson county, to be conducted by Edward D. Goller, of the state association, assisted by D. A. Koehnour of the county association. The tour will begin March 21.

Ladies Society.

The Ladies Society of the German Evangelical Lutheran church met this afternoon from two to five o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred Acker on south Walnut.

Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

In the spring time you renovate your house. Why not your body? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea drives out impurities, cleanses and enriches the blood and purifies the entire system. 35 cents. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

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